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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the time to submit a response to the Office Communication mailed December 4, 2001 be extended by one month from the December 26, 2001 due date, to January 26, 2002. The \$55.00 fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-67641-1/RFT/NBC).

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